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R-T-B SYSTEM RARE EARTH
PERMANENT MAGNET

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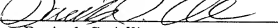
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Dear Sir:

U.S. Application Serial No. 10/675,797 and U.S. Application Serial No. 10/799,243 were, at the time the invention of Application Serial No. 10/799,243 was made, owned by or subject to an obligation of assignment to TDK Corporation.

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